



General Assembly

**Substitute Bill No. 27**

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**AN ACT AUTHORIZING SPECIAL TAX OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE  
STATE FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO SERVICE PLAZAS ON MAJOR  
HIGHWAYS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2010*) (a) The State Bond Commission shall  
2 have power, in accordance with the provisions of this section, from  
3 time to time to authorize the issuance of special tax obligation bonds of  
4 the state in one or more series and in principal amounts in the  
5 aggregate, not exceeding four million eight hundred twenty-five  
6 thousand dollars.

7 (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds to the extent hereinafter  
8 stated, shall be used for the purpose of payment of the transportation  
9 costs, as defined in subdivision (6) of section 13b-75 of the general  
10 statutes, with respect to the projects and uses hereinafter described,  
11 which projects and uses are hereby found and determined to be in  
12 furtherance of one or more of the authorized purposes for the issuance  
13 of special tax obligation bonds set forth in section 13b-74 of the general  
14 statutes. Any proceeds from the sale of said bonds shall be used by the  
15 Department of Transportation for the environmental clean-up of  
16 service plazas along Interstate 95, the Merritt and Wilbur Cross  
17 Parkways, and Interstate 395.

18 (c) None of said bonds shall be authorized except upon a finding by

19 the State Bond Commission that there has been filed with it (1) a  
20 request for such authorization, which is signed by the Secretary of the  
21 Office of Policy and Management or by or on behalf of such state  
22 officer, department or agency and stating such terms and conditions as  
23 said commission, in its discretion, may require, and (2) any capital  
24 development impact statement and any human services facility  
25 colocation statement required to be filed with the Secretary of the  
26 Office of Policy and Management pursuant to section 4b-23 of the  
27 general statutes, any advisory report regarding the state conservation  
28 and development policies plan required pursuant to section 16a-31 of  
29 the general statutes, and any statement regarding farm land required  
30 pursuant to subsection (g) of section 3-20 of the general statutes and  
31 section 22-6 of the general statutes, provided the State Bond  
32 Commission may authorize said bonds without a finding that the  
33 reports and statements required by this subdivision have been filed  
34 with it if said commission authorizes the secretary of said commission  
35 to accept such reports and statements on its behalf. No funds derived  
36 from the sale of bonds authorized by said commission without a  
37 finding that the reports and statements required by this subdivision  
38 have been filed with it shall be allotted by the Governor for any project  
39 until the reports and statements required by this subdivision, with  
40 respect to such project, have been filed with the secretary of said  
41 commission.

42 (d) For the purposes of this section, each request filed as provided in  
43 this section for an authorization of bonds shall identify the project for  
44 which the proceeds of the sale of such bonds are to be used and  
45 expended and, in addition to any terms and conditions required  
46 pursuant to this section, include the recommendation of the person  
47 signing such request as to the extent to which federal, private or other  
48 moneys then available or thereafter to be made available for costs in  
49 connection with any such project should be added to the state moneys  
50 available or becoming available from the proceeds of bonds and  
51 temporary notes issued in anticipation of the receipt of the proceeds of  
52 bonds. If the request includes a recommendation that some amount of

53 such federal, private or other moneys should be added to such state  
54 moneys, then, if and to the extent directed by the State Bond  
55 Commission at the time of authorization of such bonds, said amount of  
56 such federal, private or other moneys then available or thereafter to be  
57 made available for costs in connection with such project shall be added  
58 to such state moneys.

59 (e) Any balance of proceeds of the sale of said bonds authorized for  
60 the projects or purposes of this section, in excess of the aggregate costs  
61 of all the projects so authorized, shall be used in the manner set forth  
62 in sections 13b-74 to 13b-77, inclusive, of the general statutes, and in  
63 the proceedings of the State Bond Commission respecting the issuance  
64 and sale of said bonds.

65 (f) Said bonds issued pursuant to this section shall be special  
66 obligations of the state and shall not be payable from or charged upon  
67 any funds other than revenues of the state pledged therefor in  
68 subsection (b) of section 13b-61 of the general statutes and section 13b-  
69 69 of the general statutes, or such other receipts, funds or moneys as  
70 may be pledged therefor. Said bonds shall not be payable from or  
71 charged upon any funds other than such pledged revenues or such  
72 other receipts, funds or moneys as may be pledged therefor, nor shall  
73 the state or any political subdivision thereof be subject to any liability  
74 thereon, except to the extent of such pledged revenues or such other  
75 receipts, funds or moneys as may be pledged therefor. Said bonds shall  
76 be issued under and in accordance with the provisions of sections 13b-  
77 74 to 13b-77, inclusive, of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2010	New section
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**FIN**      *Joint Favorable Subst.*